1	2	3	4
90.	BURLA	25	9948
91.	HIRAKUND	35	13078
92.	KUCHINDA	11	8956
93.	SAMBALPUR	96	67278
94	BINIKA	12	5643
95.	SONEPUR	22	4368
96.	TARAVA	3	607
97.	BIRAMITRAPUR	23	591
98.	RAJGANGPUR	48	1519
99.	RAURKELA	114	89479
100.	SUNDERAGARH	21	6581
101	ATHAMALLICK	20	2198
102.	PARADEEP	14	19173
	GRAND TOTAL	2401	1027591

Slum Increase in Urban Areas

†4554. SHRI BALWANT SINGH RAMOOWALIA :

SHRI KAPIL SIBAL :

Will the Minister of URBAN EMPLOYMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that a large number of slums have cropped up during the current decade in the urban areas; and

(b) if so, the reasons for such increase?

THE MINISTER OF URBAN EMPLOYMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI SUKHDEV SINGH DHINDSA): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. As per the 49th Round Report of the NSSO, the slum population in urban areas was 462.608 lakhs in 1991 which by 2001 is estimated to be 618.258 lakhs.

† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.